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ORANGE

Orange County Medical Center has announced that it has been approved for three years' **orthopedic training** in adult orthopedics, fractures and children's orthopedics. Applications for residency are now being accepted. A year of residency in general surgery is prerequisite to application. The center also has available for orthopedic residents from other programs a six months' residency in children's orthopedics, fully approved.

Applications should be sent to S. H. Anzel, M.D., Chief of orthopedic surgery, Orange County Medical Center, Orange, California.

SAN DIEGO

Dr. Francis E. West was installed as president of the American Academy of Orthopaedic Surgeons at the thirty-fourth annual meeting of the organization held last month in San Francisco. Dr. West is a former president of the California Medical Association and is a member of the California State Board of Medical Examiners.

SAN FRANCISCO

The University of California San Francisco Medical Center will **telecast programs to hospitals** throughout northern and central California with the aid of \$553,400 three-year grant from the U.S. Public Health Service, according to Chancellor Willard C. Fleming, who said that the purpose of the grant is to establish the value of such programs in hospital in-training and postgraduate education.

Up to 126 one-hour programs will be telecast over closed circuits during the next three years over KQED, San Francisco; KVIE, Sacramento, and KTEH, San Jose, the announcement said. Included will be actual telecasts of operating **techniques, patient interviews, grand rounds**, as well as several programs of interest to nurses, x-ray technicians and other health professionals such as physical therapists and social workers. Program content will be decided in cooperation with the staffs of the participating hospitals. The telecasts will be available to more than 150 hospitals in the northern and central portion of the state.

SANTA CLARA

Dr. Herbert L. Abrams, professor and head of the Division of Diagnostic Radiology at Stanford

University School of Medicine, has been appointed the Philip H. Cook Professor and chairman of the Department of Radiology at Harvard Medical School. He will serve simultaneously as radiologist-in-chief at the Peter Bent Brigham Hospital in Boston. He will assume his new duties in late summer of this year.

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Two Stanford medical alumni have been named to administrative posts at the Stanford University School of Medicine, Dr. Robert J. Glaser, vice president for medical affairs and dean of the Medical School, announced.

Dr. Thomas A. Gonda, 45, professor of psychiatry, has been named associate dean, and **Dr. Gunther W. Nagel**, 72, of San Francisco, emeritus clinical professor of surgery, will serve as director of alumni relations.

Dr. Gonda will have a major responsibility for clinical affairs, including relationships between the Medical School and its affiliated hospitals. He will also be concerned with graduate and postgraduate programs.

Dr. Nagel, first occupant of a newly created post, will work part-time with the Medical School administration to aid in the continuing development of medical school alumni relationships.

YOLO

Dr. Julian R. Youmans of the Medical College of South Carolina has been named chairman of the neurosurgery department at the **University of California, Davis, School of Medicine**. Dean C. John Tupper of the UCD medical school said that Dr. Youmans will assume his new post 1 July.

GENERAL

Mr. Paul Ward, former administrator of the State Health and Welfare Agency, has been named executive director of the California Committee on Regional Medical Programs. The committee, which was formed to assist medical schools and hospitals in the coordination and development of cooperative medical programs under federal legislation (P. L. 89-239), has received a grant of \$223,400 to plan activities for improving diagnosis and treatment of heart disease, cancer, stroke and related diseases. California Medical Education and Research Foundation will act as fiscal agent for the funds. The coordinating committee office will be at 655 Sutter, Suite 302, San Francisco 94102.